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NO

RED CROSS PARCELS SHIPPED

Approximately 28 000 Red Cross parcels of food for British including Canadian, prisoners of war in Germany have been shipped from the Toronto depot, and 18 000 of these are on their way overseas, Dr Fred W. Routlev, national commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross, reported yesterday.

The parcels are sent from New York on American export liner to Lisbon, where they are taken over by International Red Cross representatives who guarantee their safe delivery to the prisoners.

The parcels go to Marseilles on a Red Cross ship which is permitted to pass through the British blockade. They are then put aboard a Red Cross train bound for Geneva, and their distribution to the prisoners is handled from this point.

About 5,000 of the food parcels which left Toronto recently are aboard a ship carrying American Red Cross supplies to Europe.

The parcels of food, each of which contains a sufficiently balanced diet to last a prisoner a full week, are being packed in Toronto at the present time. The original output of the depot, which has been open four weeks, was 5,000 parcels a week, but the machinery has been speeded up to produce twice that number. The Canadian Red Cross is supplying the food at the direct request of the British Red Cross is supplying the food at a direct request of the British Red Cross, whose work along these lines in Britain has been hampered by enemy air-raids.

MAGAZINE REPRODUCES FAMOUS ANIMAL PICTURES

An announcement of unusual interest appears in the current issue of the Family Herald and Weekly Star. This magazine has secured the rights to reproduce, in full color, the now famous series of Dairy Cattle Pictures painted by Ross Butler, well-known Agricultural artist. Of special interest to dairymen, breeders, junior farmers, teachers, etc., the series consists of eight paintings portraying the ideal cow and bull (approved by the breeders' associations) in the Holstein, Ayrshire, Jersey and Guernsey breeds. The pictures are 14" X 11" in size and are offered readers in sets of eight, postage paid, at a nominal cost within reach of all.

In making these pictures available to readers, the Family Herald and Weekly Star once more identifies itself with progressive farming. A leader in all matters pertaining to farming for over seventy years, the Family Herald and Weekly Star has always disseminated many times more farming information... saved and made for its readers many more dollars... than any other magazine.

The timely offer of Ross Butler's Dairy Cattle Pictures will be welcomed by all who are interested in fine cattle and will be hailed as another milestone in the long list of services rendered to Herald readers.

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EMPIRE'S FIGHTERS

Canadian soldiers whom I interviewed when they landed in Britain had one thing to say: "We crave action."

That goes for the fighting men of every country of the Commonwealth. They joined to fight; they have trained to fight; they are burning to fight. And every day now more and more of these warriors from all over the world are getting the action they crave.

With the British army in the Western Desert campaign, Australians, New Zealanders, and Indians are facing the type of warfare which above all their rugged, individualist character fits them for. The Sudan, Indian troops have already shown their fire, their steadfastness, and their initiative.

In East Africa, troops from the Union, from Rhodesia, from West Africa, and from East Africa itself, harry the Italians with the skill and dash of born skirmishers.

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SEEDTIME
and
HARVEST

By
Dr. K. W. Noddy
Director, Agricultural Department
North-West Line Elevators Association

Soil Mining

At the Annual Conference of the Manitoba Agronomists an interesting and challenging paper was presented by M. J. Timline and H. J. Siemens. Its title is "Changes and Readjustments in Manitoba Cropping Practices," but it has equal significance for residents of Saskatchewan and Alberta. The following is an abstract of the authors' introductory statements:

In view of the present wheat problem, this is an opportune time to encourage seedling down grasses and legumes.

Manitoba farmers have been grain mining their soil too long. Older countries have had to maintain a high percentage of their land in grasses and legumes in order to protect their soils. Manitoba farmers must follow this same policy or their soils will be ruined. Serious drifting over much of the province, sheet erosion and gullying of the unproductive lands are only foretastes of more severe erosion yet to come.

Here ends the quotation. It is an interesting fact that, until quite recently, lectures and articles on crop rotations were considered to be of academic interest only. We believed that our prairie province soils were so abundantly fertile that they would never wear out. Now, we know better.

Vitamin B.
Much publicity has recently been afforded vitamin B, as a stimulator of plant growth. Dr. E. J. Knapp, of the University of Chicago, in an address before a joint meeting of the American Society of Agronomy and the Soil Science Society of America, on December 5, stated that most of the publicity was "just plain bunk."

OBITUARY

The death occurred on Sunday, January 19th, of Norman Donald MacKinnon, at his home at Haynes, as a result of complications following measles.

Mr. MacKinnon was born on May 19th, 1881, in Cape North, Nova Scotia. In 1904 he went to Boston, where he worked for several years, later moving to California. In 1914 he homesteaded at Chinook, Alberta and lived there until Nov. 1938, where he farmed at Haynes.

The funeral services were held on Thursday, Jan. 23rd, at the Haynes church. Rev. Chas. Thompson of Red Deer, conducted the service. Mr. MacKinnon's favorite hymn "He lifted me", was sung as a solo by Mr. and Mrs. E. Randall. Pall bearers were Messrs. John Duncan, Norman Stewart, Walter Anderson, Fred Hubson, Neil Verploegh and Robert Rice.

Many beautiful floral tributes were received from friends and relatives.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of Orme Funeral Home, Red Deer.

Interment was made at Fairview Cemetery near Haynes. Surviving are his wife Mary, two daughters, Estelle of Inisfail, and Jessie of Red Deer, two sister Mrs. N. D. Morrison Sunny Brook, Alta. and Mrs. D. Campbell, Sidney Forks, Nova Scotia, and one brother Dan of Cape North Nova Scotia.

Urges Research To Find Uses For Farm Crops

Alcohol From Wheat
Would Supplement
Gasoline

Toronto, January 21 (CP)

Cecil Lamont of Winnipeg said in an address here Monday that the Northwest Line Elevators Association proposes that the Dominion government be urged to take steps to establish a western division of the national research council.

Speaking before the conference of the National Chemurgic Committee as a representative of the Northwest Line Elevators Association, Lamont said, such a western division should be dedicated to finding new edible and inedible uses for farm products.

"It is further suggested that an economics division of the national research council be formed," said Lamont. The function of this division would be to advise the Dominion government on matters such as subsidizing the industrial utilization of surplus farm products, with particular reference to wheat and formulating means of moving surplus farm products from surplus areas of Canada to other sections of the country where they might be used as human food-stuffs.

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The Source Of Strength

What is behind the morale which is supporting the British people in their hour of trial? What is back of the indomitable spirit which enables them to take the tremendous blows which they sustain when they are bombed out of house and home and come up again fighting? What is it, if it is not Christianity—a belief in God?

The gallant people of Great Britain, with their backs to the wall realize that they are fighting for the preservation, not only of their right to govern themselves in the way they choose, but also for the right to worship as they wish, for the right to remain Christians—the right to believe in God. They know that if they are conquered by Hitler and Nazism, they will no longer have the right even to their religious beliefs or of access to the source of the comfort which sustains them, under great difficulties and under unparalleled stress and strain.

The Sunday Express of London, about a year ago published an article by Dr. Hermann Rausing, former Nazi president of Danzig, in which he quotes Hitler as making the following declaration at a tea party, at which Rausing was present:

"The religions are all alike, no matter what they call themselves. They have no future—certainly none for the Germans... The Italians and the French are essentially heathens. Their Christianity is only skin deep. But the German is different. He is serious in everything he undertakes. He wants to be either a Christian or a heathen. He cannot be both. A German church, a German Christianity is distortion. One is either a German or a Christian. You cannot be both. We don't want people who keep one eye on the life in the hereafter. We need free men who feel and know that God is in themselves."

And a little earlier in the conversation, which occurred shortly after Hitler became Reich Chancellor, Hitler is quoted as discussing the possibility of Fascism and the Church coming to terms: "So shall I! Why not? That will not prevent me from tearing up Christianity root and branch, and annihilating it root and branch in Germany."

It was from that conversation, said Rausing, dated his inner revolution against National Socialism. "For now I began to understand its true nature and aims."

Behind The Resolve

Hitler's subsequent actions have served but to confirm in dire manner his intentions to impose this doctrine, not only upon his own people but of the entire world.

It is any wonder that the democratic, free nations of the world who believe in God and cherish the right to worship him are willing to make every sacrifice that can be conceived to prevent this monstrous concept being fastened upon them? "We don't want people who keep one eye on the life in the hereafter."

It is just this right "to keep one eye on the life in the hereafter" that is giving the people of Britain the moral and spiritual strength to stand the hard knocks they are receiving and that is fortifying them in an undying resolve never to give in.

Playing Their Part

In 250 cities and towns of bomb-ravaged Britain are displayed in the public streets and in private homes of the people a placard, issued by the Lord Mayors of York, of Sheffield, of Hull and of Nottingham, and endorsed by the mayor of many of the cities and towns of the country, including Bristol, one of those large centres which has been severely shattered.

Entitled "Morale—How to Play Your Part," this placard says in part: "Forget yourself in helping your neighbors. In days of tension this casts out your own fears and worries. Help them to carry out all instructions about air raids, evacuation, rationing and waste."

"Keep the moral standards of the nation high—Don't weaken the home front by trying to wrangle something for yourself on the quiet. Make a break with all personal indigence, selfishness and private wars, which undermine national morale and unity. Everybody has his and her part to play in the moral re-arming of the nation."

"Be a rumor stopper—Those who live their country sacrifice the luxury of being the ones to pass on the news. Any patriot shoots a rumor dead on sight. Face the facts but don't exaggerate them. Prepare to meet them instead. Faith, confidence and cheerfulness are as contagious as fear, depression and grumbling."

"The secret of steadiness and inner strength is to listen to God and do what he says."

"Forearm yourself by listening to God the first thing every morning. This provides a clear plan for every day and the power to work with other people in complete unity... He offers limitless reserves of energy and initiative."

"A British general who has fought through two wars says: 'Wires may be cut and wireless stations destroyed, but no bombardment can stop messages from God coming through, if we are willing to receive them. To listen to God and to obey Him is the highest national service for everybody everywhere.'"

Are we in Canada basing our sacrifice and war effort on the same foundation and are we relying on the same source of strength? It all depends upon the individual.

More Cheques Cashed

Bureau Of Statistics Report Shows Big Increase Last Year

Values of cheques cashed by chartered banks in 32 Canadian cities were \$34,437,000,000 in 1940 compared with \$31,747,000,000 in 1939, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported.

The report said "greater economic activity" reflected in the indices of employment and the physical volume of business was responsible for the increase.

Control
THE SPASMS OF
Whooping Cough
with
BUCKLEY'S
MIXTURE

British Defences

Hitler Will Meet Something When He Makes Invasion Attempt

Sir Walter Citrine, general secretary of the British Trades Union Congress, told Toronto workers at a mass meeting that "if there were a body of vigorous men it was that contingent which came over under General McNaughton."

He said that with British defences in their present state "Hitler will never in all his life be more cordially welcomed than if he attempts to invade England."

"We were in great danger in June," Sir Walter said, "but the United States came to our aid. It can be told now. They sent us 850,000 rifles when we did not have one for every five men."

A little word is not a little thing; For it may make, and it may mar, a king.

No Extra Postage

Parcels Redirected To Any Branch Of Service Without Charge
Parcels addressed to any member of the naval, land or air forces in Canada that fail to reach the addressees owing to transfer are to be redirected without further postage charges, the Canadian Legion was advised by Postmaster-General W. P. Mulock.

Decision to grant this privilege to men under arms came as a result of a letter from the legion to the postmaster-general citing an incident where heavy charges were made on a gift package that journeyed from one end of Canada to the other before it reached its destination. The legion acted on behalf of its Saskatchewan command to which the complaint from a service man was first made.

Mr. Mulock stated that instructions have now been issued which parcels addressed to men under arms must in future be redirected free of charge.

Want War Training

Women Of Britain Would Join The Home Guard

Dr. Edith Summerskill, Socialist M.P. for West Fulham, has again appealed to the authorities to allow women to join the Home Guard and learn to defend themselves.

"Is it conceivable that if there were an invasion the women of London, Liverpool—and of Coventry—would retire to their houses so as not to provoke the enemy?" she asked in the House of Commons.

"Would they not come out, bringing their household goods, if necessary, to barricade the streets? And who will applaud them most? Their men folk."

"One has to get rid of this idea that women are weak, gentle creatures who must be protected. You may think so, but the modern enemy does not think so. Why, then, should they not also be allowed to defend themselves? You must cast aside prejudices and discard the 19th century conception of womanhood."

English Prisoners Challenged

Defeated Nazi Guards At Soccer By Score Of 27 To Nil

Eleven Nazi guards at a camp of English prisoners in Germany fancied themselves as footballers, and challenged the prisoners to a game of soccer.

The prisoners didn't take long to pick a team, according to the account of the match received in London.

The English were leading by 27 goals to nil when the game came to an abrupt end.

Not until then did the humbled Germans learn that their opponents were the second team of the famous Aston Villa club of Birmingham. The players had enlisted altogether during the early months of the war and were captured at Dunkirk.

SELECTED RECIPES

SCRAMBLED EGGS AND SAUSAGES

To serve six, crumble 12 Christie's Premium Soda Crackers, moisten with $\frac{1}{2}$ cup milk and stir in 4 eggs. Cook in a small amount of hot butter over moderate flame, stirring until thickened. Pan-fry 12 small link sausages. Serve eggs on warm platter surrounded with sausage.

PINEAPPLE PIE

1 package Lemon Jell-O
2 tablespoons sugar
 $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon salt
1 cup boiling water
2 egg yolks
1 cup canned pineapple juice
 $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups drained canned crushed pineapple
1 baked 9-inch pie shell
Combine Jell-O, sugar, salt, and 2 tablespoons water. Add egg yolks and stir well. Add remaining water gradually, stirring until Jell-O is dissolved. Add pineapple juice. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in pineapple. Turn into cold pie shell and chill until firm. Serve plain or garnish with whipped cream and sprinkle with Baker's Coconut, if desired.

In Spite Of Handicap

Though Born Without Hands Girl Is Clever Shorthand-Typist

Eighteen-year-old Nan Lawrie, born without hands and with only one foot, is shorthand-typist in the clerk's department at Dundee, Scotland.

In engaging her, Lord Provost Wilson said: "Miss Lawrie had been studying shorthand for a year now and can write 100 words a minute by grasping the pencil between her two wrists." With her little stumps of wrists Nan types 55 words a minute.

Gaseous ammonia blown into irrigation water is being used as fertilizer in the West.

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Safety For Infants

A Special Warning Is Issued To Mothers By Toronto Doctor

A special warning to mothers has been issued by Dr. Alan Brown, physician-in-chief of the Toronto Hospital for Sick Children. During the past year 11 infants have died of accidental suffocation, and these deaths are due, says Dr. Brown, to the fact that mothers had not followed some of the simple rules in infant care.

Suffocation took place in most cases because the mother had rolled over on the child sleeping in her bed, or the child was allergic to feather pillows, furs or eiderdown, or had been left alone, with food in his mouth.

Dr. Brown advises mothers not to let the infant sleep in bed with them, not to use pillows in the child's bed, and never to leave the bottle in the baby's mouth when he is left alone. The infant should be fed at regular intervals, and then left, safely, to sleep or play. At all times the mother must be observant and cautious concerning the child's safety.—Toronto Star.

Has Long Neck

British Columbia Clam Has Neck Three Feet Long

When Panopea generosa sticks its neck out it amounts to something. Imagine, if you please, a clam with a neck three feet long, or more. "Ridiculous?" Not so. There actually is a British Columbia clam which suffers a whole yard of pain if its neck chances to get sore. The name of the creature? Well, the scientific name has already been given, Panopea generosa, but the popular name is perhaps almost as amusing as the long neck for this clam is commonly called "goosey-duck," though the word is spelled "geoduk" or "geoduck."

"It's not abundant in British Columbia nor is it easy to take since it buries itself three feet or so in the sand. It is sought more for the fun of the thing than for any other reason and, indeed, in British Columbia's neighbor-state, Washington, just across the international border, there is a bag limit of three a day in geoduck hunting."—Canadian Fisheries Bulletin.

Hard To Define

Luxury Does Not Mean Same Thing To Every Person

What is a luxury? What rule guides the promotion of a seeming necessity into the higher bracket to find place among the things no longer indispensable? The matter has given rise to much discussion of late, and the diversity of expressed opinions is as wide as the ocean and almost as stormy. On examination it resolves itself largely into a revival of that age-old situation where the point of view depends upon whose ox is being gored.—Ottawa Journal.

Just A Routine Job

No Record Was Sought In Fast Trip Across Atlantic

When Capt. Pat Eves of London flew an American-built bomber plane across the Atlantic in an elapsed time of seven hours, the interval between breakfast and tea, he was probably not trying for a record, but merely performing the routine job of delivering the plane to England.

This is testimony to the progress aviation has made under the forced-draught pressure of war. Records tumble in the course of the everyday schedule. Undoubtedly Capt. Eves' 7-hour mark could be broken tomorrow if anyone had time to bother. No one will try, because it would risk a pair of good engines to push them harder than the safe cruising speed.

The military potency of a bomber that flies 1,800 miles in seven hours (although without a load of bombs) is something to think about. From London it could fly to Leningrad, Bucharest or Tripoli and back between lunch and a late supper. In the same time it could make two round trips to Berlin, or fly in a circle to Berlin to Belgrade to Rome and home again.

Modern Battles Different

Fought Over Vast Area They Cannot Be Decided Quickly

In total war, the front is everything in the range of military planes. So there is nothing to call the war over the miles but the Battle of Britain, which may go on for a year or two years, filled with incidents which would, in the older land warfare, be dignified each with its own name, but are lost now in the larger whole. Battles are no longer events like baseball, held on one ground on a hot afternoon and played to a quick decision. They are fought over a vast theatre, through a period of months, and in three dimensions. It is all confusing to those of us who are unaccustomed to getting along without an index in which names like Hastings and Waterloo and Gettysburg and Manila Bay are set down in convenient rows.—Detroit News.

Beating The Stukas

Britain Has Learned How To Cripple Nazi Dive Bombers

Hitler's Stuka divers have given a somewhat disturbing show of strength in the Mediterranean, but Britain has conquered them in the past, says the Hamilton Spectator, and she resolves to do so again. Her men aboard the trawlers in the English Channel have learned how to cripple these winged furies by a method of "fire-discipline" which consists in withholding fire until the Stuka is flattening out its dive.

Governments In Exile

Sources at Washington reported that Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, Jr., of Philadelphia, may go to London soon as ambassador to four countries whose governments are in exile. They are Poland, Belgium, the Netherlands and Norway. Biddle is ambassador to the Polish government in exile. He has been in the United States for several months.

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Urges Economy

Governments, Municipalities And Individuals Should Curtail Expenses

R. C. Berkinshaw, president of the Toronto board of trade, called on the governments, municipalities and individuals of Canada "to curtail non-essential expenditures as much as possible and to economize wherever practicable in those expenditures which, perhaps, may be regarded as essential."

Speaking at the board's annual dinner, he said that it was only just that Canadians, enjoying the "fragile paradox" of wartime prosperity, "should be content to bear... a greater share of the cost of conflict." "I trust that the greater our present payment be, the better it will be for the generations to come," Mr. Berkinshaw said.

Odd Custom In China

The custom of China of sealing houses against outer air in cold weather sometimes causes death to entire families, when carbon monoxide gas is given off from the charcoal braziers used for heating.



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—that this will require hard work and many dollars.

—that only by hard work and frugal living... by LENDING all I can to Canada... can I do my part to help to win the war and establish our future security.

I Pledge— that I will forego the purchase of unnecessary articles... however small the cost... no matter how well I am able to pay for them... which take labour and materials away from the great task of providing goods needed to win the war.

—that NOW... starting this month... I will put a definite part of my income aside in War Savings Certificates. I will have it deducted regularly... each week... each month... either from my pay envelope or from my savings account, by arrangement with my employer or my bank manager."

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PLEDGE MONTH**



BRITISH AIR TERRITORIALS' BRILLIANT

Pilots of the City of London Squadron of the British Auxiliary Air Force with one of their Hurricane fighters. This squadron, trained in peace time week ends, has accounted for more than 100 German aircraft, and ten of its members have been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Lloyd Robinson left on Saturday night for Calgary where he is with his brother who is ill in the Holy Cross hospital.

Miss Madelene Otto, Oyen, spent a few days with her parents Mr and Mrs. F. Otto.

Mr. A. St. Clair Nicholson of Calgary has been visiting with his mother and his family (for some weeks, returned Tuesday).

Mr. McLaren of Oyen was a Chinook visitor Tuesday.

Miss Lena Zawasky returned Tuesday night from a short visit to Saskatoon.

Mr. W. H. Barros is a business visitor at Edmonton this week.

Mr. Archie Shier of Cereal was a Chinook visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Sherman of are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wanner, on the way to Calgary.

APPEAL

Word has been received by the Chinook branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society that arrangements have been made to melt down old tooth paste tubes. They will also accept tubes of shaving cream vaseline and all empty medicine tubes except brushless shave tubes such as Barbasol Palmolive, etc.

It is believed that the tin content of these tubes may be of value to the war effort. It is stressed, however, that the bakelite caps must be removed from the tubes before they are shipped to the division.

Residents of Chinook and district wishing to cooperate in this respect are requested to give their empty medicine tubes to any student at Chinook Consolidated School.

RED CROSS NOTES

The following message was contained in a recent letter received by the local Red Cross Secretary from the Provincial Chairman of the War Women's Committee.

"We wish to thank your workers for the beautiful layette and excellent work which has been received and for which we enclose our receipt.

Please thank those who were responsible for making this lovely layette.

The February meeting of the Friendly Circle has been postponed for one week.

ROUND ABOUT TOWN

It appears as though at least two of the district's young men are good runners. Which were you afraid of, boys, the flashlight or the uniform?

Dancing is an important form of enjoyment. It must be, when two young people have to stop on the highway and dance to the music of the car radio.

Looks as though a new friendship is being made. One of our U.S. Boys seems pleased with his escort the other morning. We wonder how long this one will last?

How's the hip? The fall seemed accidental, or is there more than one way of using a hip to attract the B.P.'s attention?

"Rastus" seems to have quite an attraction for the girls, or is it just another excuse to ride with a gentleman. Don't you wish you had a snow mobile, boys?

Mounties Wanted

Recruits for the Royal Canadian Mounted Police are still being sought. It has been announced by the Edmonton headquarters. Incorrectly reported applicants must be of British racial origin. It was explained they must be British subjects. Recruits must be single, between the ages of 18 and 30 years, five feet eight inches tall or over, and must be physically sound and of good character. They must have completed grade nine at school.

THREE CALGARY TOTS DROWN

VICTIMS OF ICY RIVER — Tragedy descended upon three Calgary homes today with the flooding of the bodies of three young children drowned in the Elbow river. They were John Ronald Henderson, 5 son of Sgt. and Mrs. Ronald Charles Henderson of Suite 11, whose father is now in England with the Royal Canadian Medical Corps; Robert John McAndrew, 9 whose parents are, and Mrs. John McAndrew Jr. reside at suite 24 Healy Apts; and Jackie Arvick, whose father, Jack Arvick, resides at 132 15th Avenue East.

Robert McAndrew was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. Yungren, of Kimdud.

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